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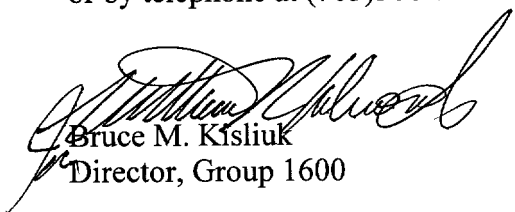   : LETTER OF CORRECTION
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The papers filed by patent owner on June 5, 2003, (Notice of Appeal, Amendment after Final Office action and Certificate of Service) are defective in that only a single copy of each was filed directed solely to the reissue application. The Decision merging the Reexamination Proceeding and the Reissue application required that all papers submitted by Patent Owner be filed in duplicate, one copy for each file, each bearing an original signature. It appears that it is an inadvertent oversight that the above papers were not filed in accordance with this requirement. Therefor, in order to meet this requirement the Office has amended the heading of each paper to include the Reexamination Control No. Copies of the amended sheets are included with this letter. Patent Owner is, however, reminded that failure to provide the required number of copies of each submitted paper may result in the application being held abandoned and the merger dissolved. The merged files will be forwarded to the examiner for consideration of the amendment after Final Office action.

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